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**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

IN RE APPLICATION OF: OHAN, MARK P. *ET AL.*

APPLICATION NO.: 10/056,998

FILED: JANUARY 25, 2002

FOR: **COLLAGEN COMPOSITIONS AND  
METHODS FOR MAKING AND USING  
THE SAME**

EXAMINER: GHALI, ISIS A D

ART UNIT: 1615

CONF. No.: 3516

**Transmittal of Amendment and Response to Office Action**

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Sir:

1. Transmitted herewith are the following:

- ☒ Amendment and Response to Office Action
- ☐ Petition for -Month Extension of Time
- ☐ Terminal Disclaimer
- ☐ Sequence Listing printout, floppy diskette, matching declaration
- ☐ Information Disclosure Statement, Form PTO-1449 (modified), References
- ☐ Check in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_.

2. Entity Status

- ☒ Small Entity Status (37 C.F.R. § 1.9 and § 1.27) has been established by a previously submitted Small Entity Statement.

3. Conditional Petition for Extension of Time:

Applicants petition for an Extension of Time, if necessary, for timely of this transmittal and enclosures.

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**4. Fee Calculation and Payment**


For:	(Col. 1) No. Filed	(Col. 2) No. Extra	Small Entity			Other Than a Small Entity	
			Rate	Fee		Rate	Fee
Total Claims	6 – 20	0	x \$ 9 =	\$	or	x \$ 18 =	\$
Independent Claims	2 – 4	0	x \$43 =	\$	or	x \$ 86 =	\$
<input type="checkbox"/> Multiple Dependent Claim Presented			+ \$145 =	\$	or	+ \$290 =	\$
*If the difference in Col. 1 is less than zero, enter "0" in Col. 2.			TOTAL	\$	or	TOTAL	\$

**5. Provisional Fee Authorization**

Please charge any underpayment in fees for timely filing of this transmittal and enclosures to Deposit Account No. 50-2586.

Respectfully submitted,  
Perkins Coie LLP

Date: January 24, 2005

  
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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450**

The following is in response to the final Office Action mailed October 22, 2004.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the claims** begin on p. 2.

**Remarks** begin on p. 4.